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FOR AMBASSADORS BUNKER AND LINOWITZ FROM LUERS

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SUBJECT: DRUMMOND SUIT

REFS: A) PANAMA 794 B) STATE 38489

1. APPRECIATE COMMENTS ON AFFIDAVIT REF (A).

2. WE HAVE MADE APPROPRIATE REVISIONS PARA 5 AND WILL USE WORDING FROM QTE CURRENT POLICY UNQTE TO SUBSTITUTE FOR LAST TWO SENTENCES OF PARA 3, I.E. QTE IN RECENT YEARS THE OTHER LATIN AMERICAN NATIONS HAVE STRONGLY SUPPORTED PANAMA'S QUEST FOR A MORE MODERN TREATY. THEY HAVE MADE THE NEGOTIATION OF A NEW TREATY A MAJOR HEMISPHERIC ISSUE AS WELL AS A GENERAL TEST OF U.S. INTENTIONS REGARDING ALL OF LATIN AMERICA. UNQTE.

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3. JUSTICE DEPARTMENT WOULD LIKE TO INCLUDE STATEMENT THAT QTE POSSIBILITY OF BLOODSHED CANNOT BE RULED OUT. UNQTE UNLESS YOU SEE SOME OBJECTIONS WE WILL REVISE LAST SENTENCE PARA 8 TO READ AS FOLLOWS: A JUDICIAL ORDER RESTRICTING THE EXERCISE OF THE PRESIDENT'S CONSTITUTIONAL RESPONSIBILITY TO CONDUCT INTERNATIONAL NEGOTIATIONS IN THIS CASE COULD LEAD TO A SHARP DECLINE IN PANAMANIAN

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CONSENT FOR OUR PRESENCE AND A POLITICAL ENVIRONMENT IN
WHICH THE POSSIBILITY OF CONFRONTATION AND BLOODSHED CAN-
NOT BE RULED OUT.
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